# AN48800A

# Low current consumption, high sensitivity CMOS Hall IC One-way magnetic field operation

# Overview

The AN48800A is a Hall IC (a magnetic sensor) which has 2 times or more sensitivity and a low current consumption of about one threehundredth compared with our conventional one.

In this Hall IC, a Hall element, a offset cancel circuit, an amplifier circuit, a sample and hold circuit, a Schmidt circuit, and output stage FET are integrated on a single chip housed in a small package by IC technique.

#### Features

- High sensitivity (6 mT max.) due to offset cancel circuit and a new sample and hold circuit
- Small current by using intermittent action (10 µA typ.)
- Small package (SMD)
- Open drain output

### Applications

• Flip type cellular phone, digital video camera

# Block Diagram





Note) The magnetism detection time should be longer than one intermittent action cycle ( $On = 200 \ \mu s$  and  $Off = 51 \ ms$ ).

#### Pin Descriptions

| Pin No. | Symbol          | Description  |
|---------|-----------------|--------------|
| 1       | V <sub>CC</sub> | Power supply |
| 2       | Out             | Output       |
| 3       | GND             | Ground       |

#### Absolute Maximum Ratings

| Parameter                        | Symbol           | Rating      | Unit |
|----------------------------------|------------------|-------------|------|
| Supply voltage                   | V <sub>CC</sub>  | 5           | V    |
| Output voltage                   | V <sub>OUT</sub> | 5           | V    |
| Supply current                   | I <sub>CC</sub>  | 5           | mA   |
| Output current                   | I <sub>OUT</sub> | 30          | mA   |
| Power dissipation *1, *2         | P <sub>D</sub>   | 60          | mW   |
| Operating ambient temperature *1 | T <sub>opr</sub> | -20 to +75  | °C   |
| Storage temperature *1           | T <sub>stg</sub> | -55 to +125 | °C   |

Note) \*1: Except for the power dissipation, operating ambient temperature and storage temperature, all ratings are for  $T_a = 25^{\circ}C$ .

\*2:  $T_a = 75^{\circ}C$ . For the independent IC without a heat sink. Please use within the range of power dissipation, referring to  $P_D - T_a$  curve.

#### Recommended Operating Range

| Parameter      | Symbol          | Range      | Unit |
|----------------|-----------------|------------|------|
| Supply voltage | V <sub>CC</sub> | 2.5 to 3.5 | V    |

# Electrical Characteristics $T_a = 25^{\circ}C \pm 2^{\circ}C$

| Parameter                            | Symbol             | Conditions   | Min | Тур | Max | Unit |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------|--|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Operating magnetic flux density 1 *1 | $B_{H-L}$          | $V_{\rm CC} = 3 \text{ V}$                                       | _   |     | 6   | mT   |
| Operating magnetic flux density 2 *2 | $B_{L-H}$          | $V_{\rm CC} = 3 \text{ V}$                                       | 0.5 | _   |     | mT   |
| Output voltage                       | V <sub>OL</sub>    | $V_{CC} = 3 \text{ V}, I_{O} = 5 \text{ mA}, B = 6.0 \text{ mT}$ | _   | 0.1 | 0.3 | V    |
| Output current                       | I <sub>OH</sub>    | $V_{CC} = 3 V, V_O = 3 V, B = 0.5 mT$                            | _   | _   | 10  | μΑ   |
| Supply current 1 *3                  | I <sub>CCAVE</sub> | $V_{CC} = 3 V, B = 0.5 mT$                                       |     | 10  | 15  | μΑ   |

Note) \*1: Symbol B<sub>H-L</sub> stands for the operating magnetic flux density where its output level varies from high to low.

\*2: Symbol  $B_{L-H}$  stands for the operating magnetic flux density where its output level varies from low to high.

\*3:  $I_{CC_{AVE}} = \{I_{CC_{ON}} \times t_{ON} + I_{CC_{OFF}} \times t_{OFF}\}/\{t_{ON} + t_{OFF}\}$ 

#### • Design reference data

| Parameter          | Symbol             | Conditions                 | Min | Тур | Max | Unit |
|--------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Hysteresis width 1 | BW                 | $V_{\rm CC} = 3 V$         | _   | 1.2 |     | mT   |
| Supply current 2   | I <sub>CCON</sub>  | $V_{CC} = 3 V, B = 0.5 mT$ | _   | 2   |     | mA   |
| Supply current 3   | I <sub>CCOFF</sub> | $V_{CC} = 3 V, B = 0.5 mT$ | _   | 3   | _   | μΑ   |
| Operating time     | t <sub>ON</sub>    | $V_{CC} = 3 V$             |     | 200 |     | μs   |
| Stop time          | t <sub>OFF</sub>   | $V_{\rm CC} = 3 V$         |     | 51  |     | ms   |

Note) It will operate normally in approximately 51 ms after power on.

- Technical Data
- Position of a Hall element (unit in mm)

Distance from a package surface to sensor part: 0.39 mm (reference value) A Hall element is placed on the shaded part in the figure.



Magneto-electro conversion characteristics





Direction of applied magnetic field

Applied magnetic flux density B

Operating magnetic flux density

• Simple polarity distinction method of mounting magnet to product incorporating Hall IC



A magnet, which is used in pair with a Hall IC, can be mounted to a product incorporating a built-in Hall IC (e.g., a cellular phone) smoothly and correctly with a simple tool. The polarity of the magnet (hereafter referred to as Hall IC magnet) will be automatically discriminated.

This tool is a plastic bar, one end of which is attached with a small magnet (hereafter referred to as plastic bar magnet), as shown in the above illustration. The plastic bar magnet, the polarity of which is known, is secured on the bar with a plastic cover. When the plastic bar magnet is located close to the Hall IC magnet, the Hall IC magnet will be attracted to the plastic bar magnet. The contact side of the Hall IC magnet is different in polarity from that of the plastic bar magnet. As a matter of course, the polarity of the Hall IC magnet will be known then. The Hall IC magnet can be mounted to the appliance in this state. The attraction force of the plastic bar magnet is rather weak due to the plastic cover on it. Therefore, the plastic bar can be separated from the Hall IC magnet with ease after the Hall IC magnet is mounted properly.

# Technical Data (continued)

#### Main characterisitcs

Operating magnetic flux density - Supply voltage



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Low-level output voltage - Supply voltage





Average consumption current — Supply voltage



Low-level output voltage - Ambient temperature



Operating magnetic flux density --- Ambient temperature